IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 84, line 13, as follows:

The tankless toilet of the embodiment 1 is of a tankless type which is not provided with a water tank. As shown in Fig. 22, a western-style toilet body 1 of the tankless toilet is made of porcelain and includes a toilet bowl 11 having a bowl portion 10 which receives a waste, a rim 13 having a rim channel 12 which is formed on an upper periphery of the bowl portion 10, and a trap portion ~~14~~ 142 which is communicated with a bottom of the bowl portion 10 and makes the waste pass therethrough. A jet nozzle 15 which generates a siphon action is provided to an inlet of the trap portion ~~14~~ 142. A toilet lid and a toilet seat are omitted from the drawing.

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 98, line 18, as follows:

A tankless toilet according to this embodiment relates to a western-style flush toilet which is not provided with a water tank. This tankless toilet is provided with a western-style toilet body 1 made of porcelain which is shown in Fig. 30 and Fig. 31. The western-style toilet body 1 includes a toilet bowl portion 11 having a bowl portion 10 which receives a waste, a rim 12 which is formed around an upper periphery of a front portion side of the toilet bowl 11 and forms a rim channel not shown in the drawing in the inside thereof and a mounting surface 13 which is formed at the rear portion of the toilet bowl 11 with a flat horizontal surface having a wide area. A jet nozzle mounting hole not shown in the drawing is, formed on a bottom of the bowl portion 10. As shown in Fig. 30, a pair of toilet seat mounting holes 13a, 13b are formed in the mounting surface 13 in the vertical direction as through holes. The distance between these toilet seat mounting holes 13a, 13b is set to 140 mm. Further, as shown in Fig. 31, a rim opening 13c which is communicated with the rim channel is formed in a rear wall of the mounting surface 13. A jet nozzle not shown in the drawing is mounted in the jet nozzle mounting hole. Further, a rear pedestal ~~14~~ 143 having a jet opening ~~14a~~ 143a at an upper end thereof is integrally formed on a rear portion of the toilet bowl 11.

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 72, line 8, as follows:

This western-style toilet body 1 is made of porcelain. This western-style toilet body 1 includes a toilet bowl portion 11 having a bowl portion 10 which receives a waste, a flat rim 12 which is formed in an approximately U shape on an upper peripheral portion of the front side of the toilet bowl portion 11 and a mounting surface 13 which is formed of a flat horizontal surface having a wide area at the rear side of the toilet bowl portion 11. A jet nozzle mounting hole 15 is formed in a bottom of the bowl portion 10. A rim channel ~~14~~ 141 which supplies water into the inside of the bowl portion 10 is formed in the inside of the rim 12. As will be understood from the description made later, on the mounting surface 13, a separate-type toilet flushing device 2 (see Fig. 17 and the like) can be mounted or a unitary-type toilet flushing device 8 (see Fig. 21) which constitutes a separate type can be mounted. Accordingly, the mounting surface 13 functions as a common mounting surface.

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 75, line 14, as follows:

The flushing mechanism 21 includes valve means 22 which is arranged at one end side of the common base plate 3 and a drive device 26 which drives the valve means 22. The valve means 22 which constitutes a major component of the flushing mechanism 21 is formed by integrally assembling a first open/close valve 23 for jetting which performs the supply of water to a jet nozzle 51 and the stop of such a supply of water and a second open/close valve

24 for rim which performs the supply of water to a rim channel ~~14~~ 141 or the stop of such a supply of water in a juxtaposed manner.

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 78, line 2, as follows:

A rim conduit 52 is arranged between an outlet port of the second open/close valve 24 of the flushing mechanism 21 and the rim channel ~~14~~ 141. Due to such a constitution, the water in the second open/close valve 24 can be supplied to the rim channel ~~14~~ 141 by way of the rim conduit 52.

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 109, line 25, as follows:

The rim nozzle 6 is constituted of a cylindrical member 11 shown in Fig. 47 and Fig. 48, a female thread member 12 shown in Fig. 49 to Fig. 51, a male thread member 13 shown in Fig. 52 and Fig. 53 and a packing ~~14~~ 144 shown in Fig. 54 to Fig. 56.

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 111, line 16, as follows:

The rim nozzle 6 is mounted in the through hole le of the wall portion of the western-style toilet body 1. This through hole le is formed in a wall portion which faces the rim channel 1c. In this case, as shown in Fig. 54, first of all, the cylindrical member 11 is inserted into the inside of the through hole le. In this state, the fourth flange lld of the cylindrical member 11 is brought into contact with the inner surface of the through hole le. Here, since the cylindrical member 11 is formed of soft resin having resiliency such as polyethylene, this operation can be easily performed. Simultaneously, a packing ~~14~~ 144 is inserted between the third flange 11e of the cylindrical member 11 and the wall portion.

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 112, line 16, as follows:

Thereafter, as shown in Fig. 56, the front end of the male thread member 13 is inserted into the inside of the female thread member 12 and the male thread 13a of the male thread member 13 is engaged with the female thread 12c of the female thread member 12. When the engagement between the female thread 12c of the female thread member 12 and the male thread 13a of the male thread member 13 advances, the female thread member 12 is maintained in the large-diameter state. Further, the first flange 12a of the female thread member 12 is brought into contact with one surface of the wall portion by way of the cylindrical member 11 and the second flange 13b of the male thread member 13 is brought into contact with the other surface of the wall portion by way of the third flange 11e of the cylindrical member 11 and the packing ~~14~~ 144 while facing the first flange 12a in an opposed manner. In this manner, the rim nozzle 6 can be easily and firmly mounted in the through hole le of the wall portion.

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 113, line 15, as follows:

Here, since the cylindrical member 11 forms a cylindrical shape in the inside of the through hole 1e of the wall portion, the sealing performance between the through hole le and the cylindrical member 11 is ensured. Further, since the first flange 12a and the second flange 13b are brought into contact with one surface and the other surface of the wall portion in the state that these flanges 12a, 13b sandwich the third flange lie of the cylindrical member 11 and the packing ~~14~~ 144, the sealing performance between the through hole 1e and the male thread member 13 can be also ensured.

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 114, line 5, as follows:

Further, in the rim nozzle 6, since the packing ~~14~~ 144 is mounted on the wall portion side of the third flange 11e, even when the cylindrical member 11 having a thin wall thickness is adopted for enhancing the mounting performance thereof, due to the resiliency of the packing ~~14~~ 144, it is difficult for the water which leaks from the gap between the female thread 12c of the female thread member 12 and the male thread 13a of the male thread member 13 to pass through the gap between the second flange 13b of the male thread member 13 and the third flange 11e of the cylindrical member 11 thus further enhancing the sealing performance.

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 114, line 15, as follows:

Further, in the rim nozzle 6, the rim nozzle 6 can be firmly mounted in the through hole le formed in the wall portion due to the resiliency of the packing ~~14~~ 144. Further, in the rim nozzle 6, since the fourth flange 11d which is brought into contact with the inner surface of the through hole le is formed on the cylindrical member 11, the cylindrical member 11 can be firmly held in the inside of the through hole le. Accordingly, the rim nozzle 6 hardly vibrates against the western-style toilet body 1 and hence, the sealing performance between the rim nozzle 6 and other member such as the open/close valve 2a connected to the inlet port 13d or the like can be also enhanced.